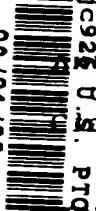


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_____ DIVISIONAL CONTINUATION-IN-PART application under
 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d), of pending prior application
Serial No. 09/569,259 filed on May 11, 2000 of
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GENETIC DEMONSTRATION OF REQUIREMENT FOR NKX6.1 AND NKX2.2 IN VENTRAL NEURON GENERATION
Title of Invention

1. _____ Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, as originally filed and an affidavit or declaration verifying it as a true copy.
2. _____ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and 1.27
_____ is enclosed.
_____ was filed in the prior application and such status is still proper and desired (37 C.F.R. §1.28(a)).
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4. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.
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- The issue fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.311(b).
5. Three copies of this sheet are enclosed.
6. A check in the amount of \$ 760.00 is enclosed.
7. Cancel claims _____.
8. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: --This is a continuation division of application Serial No. _____, filed _____.--
9. 9 Sheet(s) of informal formal drawing(s) is/ are enclosed.
10. Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file.
11. Priority of application No. _____ filed on _____ in _____ (country)
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12. The prior application is assigned of record to _____.
13. A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
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